IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Masaki Okamoto, et al.

Appln. No. : 10/767,658 Filed : January 29, 2004

Title : MOUNTING PROCESS SIMULATION PROGRAM AND METHOD

FOR THE SAME AND SYSTEM IMPLEMENTING THE SAME

Conf. No. : 5389 Art Unit : 2128

Examiner : Shambhavi K. Patel

Customer No. : 00116

Docket No. : NGB-36409

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AMENDMENT "D"

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2007 (Paper No. 20070804). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on November 13, 2007 – since the 10th falls on a Saturday and the 12th is a Federal holiday.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.